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of the North West Territories for the Ju-
dicial District of Western Assiniboia will be
held at the Town of Regina, in the next Ses-
sion, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the
following days, to-wit:

Monday, 28th March, A.D., 1887.

Monday, 27th June, A.D., 1887.

By Command,

A. E. FORGET,

Deputy Clerk of the Court.

Regina, 26th March, 1887.

COUNCIL MINUTES.

SOUTH QU'APPELLE.

Council met at the Queen's Hotel,
Qu'Appelle, May 7th, 1887. Present,
Messrs. Thompson, Gordon, Craig,
Smith and Trewartha.

On motion carried adjourned to
meet forthwith at McVey's Hall for
the dispatch of business.

Council re-assembled, minutes of
last meeting read and confirmed.
Communications and Petitions—

From G. H. V. Bulyea and others re-
dog tax. Referred to Council for con-
sideration.

From G. S. H. Hobbs re debentures.
From G. H. V. Bulyea re state-
ment of funds on hand. Referred to
finance committee.

From G. H. V. Bulyea, chairman of
school district No. 2, with a state-
ment of school taxes collected on Roll
of 1885, and deposited as general
tax, requesting that the amount shown
be paid to Treas. of the school dis-
trict. Referred to finance com.

From R. Bell re statute labor.
From S. Brown and others asking
that road allowance between town-
ships 18 and 19 be opened up.

From J. F. Ford re statute labor.
From J. H. Benson (sheriff) re list
of back taxes.

From J. Jackson & Forbes re appeal
on railway bonds.

From G. S. Davidson and others re
debenture on g. p. l.

Committee report as follows: The
communication of the Out, and Qu'Appelle
Land Co. re taxes, was re-
plied to by the clerk in accordance
with the instructions of the committee,
and the Company have now paid the
taxes for the years 1885 and 1886
upon all the lands which they claim
legally upon.

A large portion of the
lands are used to them are regulated
by them however, and are of opinion
that the council should take some
action in reference to these and num-
bered sections upon which exemption
is claimed, the list of land which
the Company admit ownership of is
now on file in the clerk's office. We
would recommend that the sum of
\$10,000, being the cost of statute la-
bor charged against sec. 19, 19, 11,
be refunded, the said labor having been
performed by the Company.

Yours committee beg to
submit for the consideration of the
council the following estimates for the
current year:

Roll Books rate,.....\$100 00

Rolls,.....100 00

General expenditure,.....550 00

Total,.....\$2500 00

All of which is respectfully submitted.
Moved by Ross and Gordon that the
following accounts be paid: Thomas
Cargill, \$3,700; E. J. Weldon,
\$17,00; R. Bell, \$4,000, school dis-
trict No. 2, \$17,914; also a further
cheque to school district No. 2, \$51,25.
Carried.

Moved by Ross and Trewartha that
F. G. Marwood be paid \$40,00 as
portion of his salary as assessor. Carried.

Moved by Ross and Trewartha that
a Court of Revision be appointed to
consent of the following members—
Cargill, E. Gordon, H. H. Armour,
J. Smith and J. Craig. Carried.

Moved by Gordon and Smith that
a cheque for the sum of \$100,00 be
granted to the clerk of the council to
be expended as follows: In payment
of a bounty of three cents for each
calf and presented to said clerk by
a resident of this municipality on such
resident serving the clerk that the
calf was killed within the limits of the
municipality on or before the 7th
May next, and no payment for which
was demanded on or before said date,
and thereafter at the rate of one cent
for each calf tendered by a resident of
this municipality, on the clerk being
satisfied that such a calf was killed
within the limits of this municipality
until the whole of the said sum be ex-
pended. Yeas six, nays being called
by Mr. Ross, Yeas, Gordon, Armour,
Craig, Smith and Trewartha. Nays,
Ross. Carried.

Moved by Trewartha and Armour that
the statute labor charged against sec.
19, 19, 11, amounting to \$10,00 be
remitted. Carried.

Moved by Gordon and Smith that
the Court of Revision of the municipi-
pal council of South Qu'Appelle be
held in the clerk's office on the 30th
day of June next, and that the clerk be
the person to give notice of such meet-

ing in our insertion of the Qu'Appelle
Progress. Carried.

The clerk produced a statement of
all money paid for commutation of
statute labor, as follows:

For Ward No. 1.....	\$40.00
" 2.....	40.00
" 3.....	22.00
" 4.....	94.00
" 5.....	80.00
" 6.....	64.00
" 7.....	72.00

\$412.00
Moved by Ross and Smith that the
clerk and clerks be paid cheques for
\$412.80 copies bounty. Carried.

Moved by Gordon and Armour that
the committee on bylaws be and are
hereby authorized to introduce a by-
law at the next sitting of council im-
posing a tax of \$1.00 on each dog, a
tag to be provided the owner to be at-
tached to the dog's collar. Dogs un-
claimed to be destroyed by officer ap-
pointed for the purpose; such bylaw
excepting one dog the property of a
farmer kept by him on his farm. Car-
ried.

Moved by Ross and Craig that by-
law as ending bylaw No. 3 be now
read a third time. Carried.

Moved by Ross and Armour that by-
law respecting bylaw No. 16 be now
read a third time. Carried.

The following bylaws were read a
first, second and third time:

Bylaw appointing pound-keepers and
defining pounds.

Bylaw defining dumping ground for
grit and nuisances.

Bylaw relating back taxes on cer-
tain land that have been handed to
the clerk for collection.

Moved by Gordon and Craig that
the account of J. B. Robinson for de-
ck and table for the use of the clerk,
amounting to \$42.00, be paid. Car-
ried.

Council then adjourned.

WOLSELEY COUNCIL.

Council re-assembled at Wolseley on
Saturday, May 14th, pursuant to
adjournment.

Present: The chairman, councillors
Makin, Mann, Fleming, Jolly and
McPhail.

The chairman took the chair at
1 p. m.

The minutes of preceding meeting
were read and confirmed.

The committee on Campbell's
bridge reported. Adopted.

A communication was read from
the Lieutenant-Governor, stating that
there were no funds available for the
municipality from the Federal grant
for the year 1886-7.

The clerk was instructed to com-
municate with Mr. Perley, with re-
ference to the sums he had stated
would be available.

The Treasurer having expressed his
desire to resign his appointment,
it was moved by Fleming and Mc-
Phail that Mr. Campbell's resignation be
accepted as soon as the books, &c.
were handed over to his successor and
the new Treasurer had expressed
himself satisfied to take over the same.
Carried.

Moved by Fleming and Jolly that
the appointment of Treasurer be offer-
ed to Mr. S. V. Bray at a salary of
\$75 per annum. Carried.

The following accounts were passed:

Am. Mann, fencing cemetery \$75.
60; g. p. l. per coun. 100. \$31.08.
Jolly, \$10.12. McPhail, \$2.29.
Fleming, \$17.41. Mann, \$2.52.
Jolly, \$8.12.

Moved by Makin and McPhail
that the statute labor be employed in
planting fireguards running north
and south as nearly as possible, on
the basis on which the statute labor
has been spent in former years, with
cross guards running east and west
at 5 or 6 miles apart according to the
system approved by the council.
Carried.

Moved by Makin and Mann that
each councillor be a committee to
inspect the district and report on the
most suitable place for fireguards.
Carried.

A communication was read from
the Lieutenant-Governor stating he would
bring the subject of how caused by
engines of the C. P. R. before the
next meeting of the Northwest Coun-
cil.

The clerk was instructed to draft a
bylaw as ending the bond bylaw.
A bylaw authorizing the removal of

a promissory note for two months was
passed through its several stages.

The following were appointed to
form the Court of Revision, to assem-
ble at Wolseley on the 11th of June:
The chairman, couns. Jolly, McPhail,
Mann and Fleming, coun. Jolly was
appointed chairman of the Court.

Council adjourned to re-assemble
on Saturday, June 11th, at Wolseley,
after the sitting of the Court of Re-
vision.

COMING LIET-GOVERNORS.

The Ottawa Journal has the following
to say about the rumor about the suc-
cessors to the Lieut.-Governors Atkins
and Dewdney:—

There has been a great deal of specu-
lation of late as to the probable next
lieutenant-governor of the Northwest
Territories. Notwithstanding the po-
sitions which have been coming in for
a re-appointment of Lieut. Gov. Dew-
dney there is a feeling that he will
not get there. Among others named
has been Mr. Joseph Royal, M. P.,
but Mr. Royal is now expected to fall
in for the governorship of Manitoba.

Lieut. Governor Atkins' term expir-
ing in September, now it is said
that Mr. C. Mackintosh, ex-M. P. for
Ottawa, will be the man for the
Northwest.

There is a wide-spread movement
among prominent Conservatives in the
city and in Parliament to secure the
honour for Mr. Mackintosh. They
claim that his executive ability and
services to the party entitle him to it,
and a Conservative whose opinion is
worth a good deal, declares that in all
likelihood Mr. Mackintosh will be
Lieut. Governor Dewdney's successor.

All the indications go to show
that there will be a great immigra-
tion boom to Canada this year, and
that the influx will be made up of
exactly the most desirable class of
settlers; sturdy and progressive
citizens fully capable of entering
into and developing the great re-
sources of the Northwest. The
Minister of Agriculture, under date
of Saturday last, received word that
five steamers had left Liverpool
during the week carrying 2,750
emigrants for Canada, a large por-
tion of whom are agriculturists,
many possessing capital.

The revival must in large measure
be attributed as an out-
come of the India-Colonial Exhi-
bition, and it is a source of great sa-
tisfaction to know that the fact was
very promptly brought forward on
every hand by the Dominion officials
that agriculturists alone are required
here, sturdy men not afraid to battle
with all the discomforts of a new
country. It is very gratifying to
know that the coming inhabitants
are composed mainly of this class.

AN INTERPRETED VALENTINE.
With acknowledgments to Dr. Talmage.
Dear Tim in Canada, you know me like you,
Just and in Canada, brighter with your
charms.
Not for the world will I let a hand to shake
with you.

The love war in our present arms
see how we flounder through your snow-
flake letters.
All breathing down to you, please
do not let us hear we know how warmly we
love you.

For it is always summer by your side.
And if we love you, sweet, and our fond
wishes
Try with you like birds of summer, love,
Here and you share us, if we love you here.
Are not our letters, sweet, proof of love?

How can you not be as a true love that I
You can not hope to make me any day.
When summer comes, I would like to see
you in it.
From Antioch to the virginity.

Who talks of love? By all that's true and
true,
You are the sweetest and our eyes have
found.
Come, are with us, dear and true,
For it is always summer by your side.

Your eyes, so long with her, I would like to
see, sweet, where you are, and
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some time the people

For some time the people of the province of Manitoba, and the city of Winnipeg more especially, have been agitated over the question of the disallowance of provincial railway charters by the Dominion Government. It is a matter of fact well known to the older residents of the province that Winnipeg has been the hotbed of agitations every since it had an existence. When the Mackenzie Government was in power, the agitation of the then hamlet was great against the original government location of the C. P. R. across the Red River at Schriek. When the present C. P. R. Company was organized, Winnipeg went into hysterics of rejoicing, and landed the contract to the skies, and the monopoly feature was commended. The road was located through the city, and everything was lovely for a time. It was not long, however, before other agitations found their commencement in the ambitious provincial capital, notably the Farmers' Union and the demand for an increase of the provincial subsidy. Last year the Hudson's Bay Railway came to the top, and was the furore for a brief period, when it raged before the wave of anti-disallowance. The men and the newspapers that thought at one time that the bargain with the C. P. R. was a good one, and commended it highly, have now gone back on their record, and are as strong in condemning, as they were previously in approving it. That does not say much for their astuteness or foresight. Although the agitation seems to have spread over the province more or less, still the chief interest centres in Winnipeg, and that city appears to have arrogated to herself the right to dictate, as it were, what both the Dominion and Province shall do to relieve her of the so-called incubus which she claims handicaps her progress. She sent a delegation to Ottawa to push the agitation without inviting co-operation from the other towns in the province. When the delegation arrived at the capital, its members ignored the representatives of the people in Parliament, and proposed to interview the Government without the aid or presence of the members from Manitoba, though this was found to be a mistake, and they were afterwards invited to be present. The Government gave the delegation a respectful hearing, but made no promises, and the city has since woken up to the act that it would have been wiser to have saved the money spent on giving the delegation a pleasant trip to the capital. Looking at the question from every point of view, after all that has been said, it still appears that the agitation is

chiefly in the interest of Winnipeg. Then the question comes up could not the longed for object—railway competition—have been attained without so much fuss and feathers? That city is only about seventy miles from the international boundary line, and the intervening country is level prairie, so that the cost of building the railway cannot be so very great. Then, why not have it built? Oh, but the reply is—if a local charter is granted it will be disallowed by the Dominion Government. Well supposing it is? What about the contention that the Canadian Pacific Railway contract does not affect the old provinces of Manitoba, which was a part of Confederation before the contract was made? Can not the provinces take the matter into their own hands, as the Norquay Government appears to have done, and build the railway herself? Or, if there not an appeal from disallowance to the la-

Special Privy Council? We should say there was. Then what did this howling against the Dominion Government particularly, a fair square bargain was made with the C. P. R. Co., which met with the opposition of the whole country, and the Federal Administration is in favor bound to stand by it. Though the C. P. R. is completed and in operation through from coast to coast, years in advance of the time agreed upon, the question of its traffic increasing through the Northwest Territories and British Columbia is still a thing of the future. The railway company has more than carried out its bargain, then why should the Government refuse to fulfill its share? The company was dealt generously with the country; it has not charged exorbitant rates for traffic; its service has been efficient, and it has kept in advance of the requirements of the greater portion of the territory through which it passes. Then why should we require a bargain to be visited upon just to take the hands of a few people in one city that has been afflicted with a succession of plagues during the whole period of its existence, the latest being that of anti-disinfection? Winnipeg and Montreal having a way out of it as we called it finally, it would be considered fair competition, if it stopped so far west, would that the territories. For a time at least we are that the C. P. R. might be considered to so arrange their traffic rates as to work to our disadvantage, and one part of the country would thus have to pay for the benefits given another. Its train service and the extension of its branches might have to be curtailed to meet the cut in rates that competition at Winnipeg would entail. Let that city make use of the means at hand to accomplish the end she seeks, but until the country is financially developed, and its business really develops, the cessation of disallowance is too much to expect that the Dominion should be called upon to pay the C. P. R. a large sum of money as monopoly clause. It was part of a fair bargain, and in all honor the country should stand by it, at least until better times can be shown than are being put forward at present for a change. If Winnipeg and the province of Manitoba kept working away in the Hudson's Bay Railway scheme, and not wasted their energies on these disallowance questions, it would have an more to their advantage. The Dominion Government might have been induced to ask that railroad further. Then besides means to be for the solution of the C. P. R. bargain may work disadvantageously

the northern outlet. It is a well-known fact that capital is most sensitive, and the anti-disinflation agitation serves somewhat of reputation; investors will therefore be more cautious before putting their money into a scheme that is for the benefit of a portion of the Dominion that now wants to go back on an agreement, upon the conditions of which the money was obtained for the construction of the C. P. R.

We give below the maiden speech

We give below the maiden speech of Mr. W. D. Perley, M. P., as delivered in the House of Commons, at Ottawa, on the 15th inst., and as reported in the *Standard*. It was well received by the House and loudly applauded. Mr. Perley and his constituents are to be congratulated on the good impression he has made at the capital. The following is the speech.

Return of lands sold by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company up to 1st April, 1887, in the Northwest Territories; when sold, and to whom.

He said: I make this motion with the assurance that I will have the sympathy and support of every hon. member in this House. We are all quite aware of the fact that, in the district which I have the honor to represent with my hon. colleague, a large portion of the lands which were given to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, as a bonus were selected, and while we are certain that we want any portion of the contract with that company violated, not even that which exempts their land from taxation for a number of years, yet therein a provision in the contract that, when that land is sold, it shall be subject to taxation. It is well known that certain companies have produced certain portions of land from the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, and that they are seeking to have their lands still exempted from taxation, while they are selling them and otherwise receiving a benefit from them. This is a great detriment to the settlers. I think this House is quite conversant with the fact that it is very important in the interest of every community that all the lands should be open to taxation for the support of schools, roads and bridges, and for purposes for which lands should be taxed. We are all aware that the progress of that country must depend upon the contentment and satisfaction of the settlers. But, when you find that a large portion of the land has been sold to companies who have some under an agreement with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, a very great industry and a very great wrong has been done to the settlers of that country. While we are not desirous in any way to alter the contract with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, nevertheless we are of opinion that some pressure should be brought to bear on that company to give information to the settlers as

to whom these lands have been sold. In the Northwest Territories we are very short of funds. We have not the advantages of local governments, and the only ally we have

education in the same way as the parrots of Brazil, so that our people normally go to some school, a thousand times otherwise would not they be unable to obtain a very large income for the support of their families and budgets, because we have all the money and have not the people here able to get the money. It is very important for the well-being of that country, in regard to which every member is deeply interested and which every member is looking to with hope and pride, as likely to become a prosperous land, that the education of the people should be secured, and that our only aim, by their having facilities for local self-government and enjoy-

ing these privileges which they are entitled to. In conversation the other night with a gentleman who represents one of the great corporations of this country, I was informed that they own \$1,000,000 worth

of land in the Northwest, and when I expressed surprise at this, he told me that the bargain was so significantly made that his company was exempt from taxation. If there is any provision which affects the people there it is this. The land is sold off on the checker-board system. The people alone make up at best, and when the odd sections are sold to these companies and to different individuals in such a way that they cannot be taxed because the people cannot find out to whom the land has been sold, a great injustice is done. That is one of the reasons why I ask that this information should be brought down and should be brought down fully, so that our municipalities may be enabled to find out to whom the land belongs without going to law and having to pay costs, because the land may have been sold to some one other than those from whom they seek to recover the taxes. I believe, the House will agree that, in justice to these settlers, they are entitled to this, and I may inform this House that nothing upon which it will legislate this session will be more to the advantage of that country than to make those lands, when once they are sold, subject to taxation and to compel the Canadian Pacific Railway Company to state to whom the land is sold. I want you to understand that we do not desire that one iota of the contract shall be violated in any respect, but after the land has been sold, we claim that this huge corporation shall be compelled to tell who owns the land, in order that the persons may be able to have a fair share of the benefits that will accrue to the land and to the country in the way of improving it, as the settler is now doing. Mr. Speaker, I thank you and the House for your kind attention to this my first speech, and I am glad that I have not been called to order.

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Reports come from the chivalrously-literate non-interference will doubt to be proclaimed with Canada, and that non-interference will then be expected to adjust the matter in dispute. One would suppose that a joint commission would precede non-interference, and that following any possible failure of such commission to effect an arrangement with the Mexicans, and if even the latter nation refused to accept the plan, if the American Government think that by not unreasonably conceding non-interference to include the Canadians, or that it will of them in driving a better bargain with us, it is merely unwise. Absolute non-interference is a rule that works both ways; and whatever injury it might do, the larger there would be to the United States for it to impose that Canada is pretty well satisfied of that. It is not a matter of principle, but it is intensely felt. The Canadian understands it all, it is one of those things, and no amount of kindred pressure will have any effect at this time. There is a time, however, when such things might have had some effect upon our people, but that day has passed away. The American, thanks to the wise legislation of Sir John A. Macdonald, and the construction of the C. P. R., is now entirely beyond the reach of injury from such a source. The Canadian fish market is even far from fish, but fish now runs against us in every direction, and if Uncle Sam wants to pay death prices for an inferior article of fish, that is his lookout. Let it be understood, the chief market for our product is Liverpool and not New York, and there we find an unlimited demand at all times, while the fishes of the Pacific are rapidly becoming our customers. The Spanish colonies in the Atlantic are the common enemy of our fish, and the only objection to trade with our European neighbors, but that the strictest non-interference will not increase Canadian wherabouts, and be far from suspending undue coercion.—*Quebec Herald.*

The offer that Lord Salisbury is re-

The interest in the pending Northwest Council election is not evincing that amount of attention manifested in previous contests. In this district, meetings are being held at different points, which are well attended, and the people are deciding as to what way they will vote, and the general opinion seems to be that in consequence of so many men in the east being pitted against one man in the west will make it an easy matter for the western candidate. Meetings are to be held this evening at Belcarres, tomorrow afternoon at the Mission and in the evening at Fort Qu'Appelle and here on Saturday evening. The address of Mr. G. L. Dods, one of the candidates, appears in the Leader. We give him the benefit of this statement, lest he not elector in the district might see it, and to give those who desire to do so a chance to look it up. A report got into circulation in some way that Major Phipps had retired from the contest. Such is not the case. He will remain in the field till the last vote is polled.

The Winning Morning Call has the following in its Ottawa telegram:

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The Indians who recently fired on the messenger police and a party of frontiersmen near Medicine Hat were captured by a Sikhia detachment of police, and taken prisoners to Blackfoot.

ced to be made made to the United States Government of free access to Canadian fisheries on the simple condition of free access for Canadian fish and fish oil to United States waters can only be made relative to the people of this country, it could only win some wider acceptance for commercial reciprocity between Canada and the United States. If the Government is so reported, it is all in favor of the United States and against Canada. No doubt world fishing interest in this country may be free trade in fishery products with the United States; but it would be an altogether undue price to pay for the advancement of that particular interest to place our fisheries on a par with ourselves as regards the use of our own best home fishing grounds. In admitting Canadian fish free to their own markets, the American people give themselves the benefit of cheap fish and fish oil, for this is the only way in which they can be supplied by landing over the whole source of the fish supply. It is evident to our mind that the thing cannot pass in its present shape. Canadians will not feel disposed to yield themselves of one of their chief natural sources of free outlet, getting something else in return; and it almost looks as if Lord Salisbury, in making this proposition, was prepared for what it might lead to. Free trade between the two countries, whatever objection might be urged to it on various grounds, would lead to an arrangement in which our people would be at least equal to the competition, and not feeling that their interests had been sacrificed; but this more fishery arrangement would alter the social, political, dignity and interests of the world, which is incompatible with the position Canada has heretofore occupied. If Canadians were prepared to hand over their fisheries to a nation or free trade in fish and fish oil, they have it to Lord Salisbury to speak for them? If there are grounds so one sufficient to us, staying to could have interested it variously. Mr. Gladstone is so sympathetic to the British Empire, that he will not agree to any such arrangement. The trade relations between Canada and the United States, we do not really see what objection Lord Salisbury's Government could make of it. We propose that it is submitted to them.—*Selected Star.*

The Hamilton and Brantford railway deputations had an interview with Mr. Van Horne, who gave some friendly assurances that the line would be the Canadian Pacific property and that it would run through Hamilton.

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Gentle manners learned not,
That boy.

Thus she muses, while she tries
To soothe the wakened baby's cries:
While to other mischief lies
That boy.

With aching head, this mother mild,
Looks to the future for her child,
Still heedless, yells in accents wild,
That boy.

She hears the dread, unearthly tone,
And stifles something like a groan,
To some bad end will surely come
That boy.

Patient mother, wait awhile;
Summon back thy loving smile:
Soon will graver care begin to
That boy.

Soon the boy "with cheek of tan"
Will be the brawny, bearded man,
If then would trust and honor them
That boy.

Trust him now, and let thy care
Shield his soul from every snare,
That waits to capture, unawares,
That boy.

And when, though worn and oft distressed,
Thou knowest that God thy work has
blessed,
Then trust with him for all the rest,
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Mr. George Wilken, Waterside-of-Forbes, Vale of Alford, Scotland, well-known amongst the Aberdeen-Angus breeders, writes to us as follows: A Company has just been formed in Aberdeen with a capital of \$500,000, for the purpose of importing from Canada direct to the Port of Aberdeen a number of well-bred two-year-old store cattle. I leave early in April for Canada to arrange to start this business, either by getting the present shippers from Canada to send this class of cattle direct to Aberdeen or to buy the cattle. It is not intended this year to ship cattle direct till about August, when special steamers will be chartered by the Company to convey the cattle direct to Aberdeen. The farmers in the northern counties buy a great number of store cattle principally from Orkney and Island, and Canadians from Glasgow. As there has been a good deal of disease come with Irish cattle, and as they are mostly landed in Glasgow, the feeder in the north would prefer to have Canadian cattle, if of the right sort, landed at the Port of Aberdeen, where a landing stage has lately been licensed for foreign cattle by the Privy Council.

I hardly need be told that Aberdeen and the northern counties import and feed more cattle than any others in Scotland, and the Canadians will have an opportunity of showing the Scotch farmer what he can do in the way of breeding a good class of cattle. None but well-bred cattle will suit this trade, and if such are to be had in any quantities it will likely develop into a large business, it is to be hoped profitably for the Canadian who breeds and his brother farmer in Scotland who is to finish the feeding process.

This is very encouraging intelligence for our farmers, and we welcome every new trade which may be opened for their benefit. Before embarking in the business, however, they should calculate closely whether it would be more profitable to ship store steers or those well fattened in pasture or stall.

A despatch from Montreal says: The plans and all the preparations for giving out the contract for the erection of a new passenger station in the west end of the city for the Canadian Pacific railway are now completed and no time will be lost in commencing operations. It will have a frontage of 200 feet on Windsor street and will extend westward on Donagana street for 500 feet. The tracks will be elevated thirteen feet above the level of Donagana street. The main end will be on the later street, where a corridor the whole length of the building will be constructed for sheltering cabs and other vehicles. A tower 204 feet in height will be raised at the corner of Donagana and Windsor streets. There will be six flats in the tower for general offices in a wing extending on Osborne street. Montreal stone will be used in the erection of the building, which will be very massive and grand. Dining-rooms, kitchen and every accessory for passengers will be provided, as well as accommodation for immigrants. The line that will connect with the station will run from the new bridge at Lachine on iron trestles, similar to those used by New York. This will settle the level crossing question, which is exciting great agitation here, as far as the Grand Trunk is concerned. It is stated that the new structure will not be erected by any railway station on this continent for its long sufficient and modern conveniences.

LORD LANSDOWNE AND HIS TENANTS.

The Irish correspondent of the Toronto Mail in his last letter writes: All the outcry against the Marquis of Lansdowne is being fomented for the benefit of "Ireland's exiled sons," in Canada and the States. If Lord Lansdowne lived quietly in London like Lord Clarendon no one would say a word about the evictions on his Queens county estate any more than about those on any other estate in Ireland. It is now becoming only too well known that the tenants at Luggacullen might have avoided the present crisis if they had acted with a fair amount of cordiality and straightforwardness. It is not true that they were refused all reductions. Very substantial abatements were offered to both Kilbride and Dunne, and before many months are over they will wish they had accepted them. I saw Mr. Kilbride in Dublin the other day, at a meeting of the National League, where he was being paraded as a victim of landlord tyranny. A more fashionably-dressed well got-up young gentleman it would be impossible to imagine. His gloves were irreproachable, and his cigars of the best brands. It would do the Irish landlords an immense amount of good service if the I. and P. U. would take Mr. Kilbride and Mr. Dunne, the ex-J. P., over to the States and then to Canada, and parade them as victims of landlord tyranny. These men are not victims of anything worse than a vicious agitation, but then, unfortunate laborers and sub-tenants are dupes and victims of the worst order. For the present the evictions on the Marquis of Lansdowne's property are suspended, and it is hoped there will be no more, for the tenants are showing signs of coming to their senses, but last Saturday all the holders on Mr. Dunne's large farm were turned out, and the proceedings at these ejections will show who are the real victims. The land on which the evictions were carried out was, on the whole, much superior to that over which the evicting party travelled on the past two days of the campaign, it being dryer, not so much covered with furze and less mountainous. The cottages, too, were of a better class, the majority of them being built of stone and slated. Considerably more opposition was offered by the occupants to being turned out—or rather to let emergency-men in—for in most cases furze, chaff and reeds were piled up inside the rooms and set on fire, so that when the doors were opened, dense volumes of smoke issued forth and rendered entrance a matter of great discomfort and a rather slow process. The crowd of spectators was not by any means so large as that which assembled two days before—in fact, at no time did it number more than 150 or thereabouts.

The Mail's London correspondent cables: Emigration to Canada is assuming large dimensions. Yesterday the Dominion steamer Vancouver left Liverpool under exceptional circumstances. She took 175 persons of good character, selected by the Society for the Promotion of Christian Knowledge, also 52 young gentlemen from Manchester and 70 Norwegians, who intend to establish a farming and fishing colony at Kromax, British Columbia, in addition to a number of German emigrants. Before the Vancouver sailed, the Bishop of Liverpool offered words of instruction and advice, and wished them God speed. He praised them for going to Canada, where he said there was room for everybody and plenty of work for willing hands. Sir Alexander Campbell was a passenger by the Vancouver, and altogether there were a thousand persons on board.

To-day 135 boys and girls left Liverpool by the Allan steamer, Circassian. The youthful emigrants are from the Catholic Protective Society in Liverpool and neighbourhood.

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The Apocrypha has verses, 7,081.
The Apocrypha has chapters, 183.
The books of the Old Testament, 39.
The Apocrypha has words, 152,185.
Verses in the Old Testament, 23,241.
The books in the New Testament, 27.
Verses in the New Testament, 7,959.
Words in the Old Testament, 592,430.
Words in the New Testament, 181,253.
The chapters in the Old Testament, 929.
Letters in the New Testament, 838,380.
Letters in the Old Testament, 2,728,100.
The chapters in the New Testament, 260.
The word "Jehovah" occurs 6,895 times.
The middle book of the Old Testament is Proverbs.
The middle chapter of the Old Testament is Job 29.
The middle verse of the New Testament is Acts xvii.17.
The shortest verse in the New Testament is John xi.35.
Chapter xix. of II. Kings and chapter xxxvii. of Isaiah are alike.
The longest verse in the Old Testament is Esther viii.9.
The middle book of the New Testament is II. Thessalonians.
The word "and" occurs in the New Testament 10,604 times.
The middle chapter and shortest in the Bible is Psalm cxvii.
The word "and" occurs in the Old Testament 36,543 times.
The shortest verse of the Old Testament is I. Chronicles i.25.
The middle verse of the Old Testament is II. Chronicles xxi.17.
The middle chapters of the New Testament are Romans xiii. and six.
Verse 22, chapter vii. of Ezra, has all the letters of the alphabet except "j."

Intelligence has been received from Batouche to the effect that half breed have been refusing to accept the loss of seed grain, and are neglecting any cultivation of their lands, fearing that the mortgages on their farms, given as security for the repayment of seed, will be foreclosed. The Minister of the Interior has telegraphed them urging their acceptance of the seed and their cultivation of the land, and promising them that the Government will deal liberally with them in case of any failure of crops.

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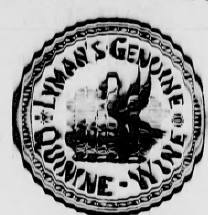
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HOME & GOSSIP.

QU'APPELLE.

A base ball club is being organized in town.

"He," "She" and "Jess," by J. Rider Haggard, new novels at the Progress store.

Tuesday was the Territorial Arbor day. It was not observed as generally as it should be.

"Fitreng" is the name of the new sewing machine oil for sale at Progress store. It is a first class article.

The immigrant boom has struck this town. The building is occupied and Mr. Baker is kept busy.

F. G. Callender, M. D. S., Dentist from Toronto, of 43 years professional experience, will be at the Queen's hotel, May 21, 22 and 23.

Mr. R. Dundas Strong, advocate of this town, has been notified by the Deputy Minister of Justice that it has been decided to employ him as a Crown Prosecutor in criminal cases.

J. F. Goring, L. D. S., dental surgeon, will visit Qu'Appelle Friday and Saturday, the 27th and 28th inst., and may be consulted at the Queen's hotel in any department of dentistry.

A cricket match will be played on the grounds on Saturday next, between two scratch elevens from the Qu'Appelle Club. A general meeting of the members will be held immediately after.

The grand rain which lasted during Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week has made all nature smile, and the prospects for good crops were never better at this time of the year. Many fields of wheat already cover the ground and everything is in a forward state.

Mr. E. Daniels, the nuisance inspector, requests us to say that the nuisance ground is north of Seventh Avenue and east of the Fort trail, and also to warn all parties further to clean up all nuisances, or he will swoop down on them in all the rigor and majesty of the law.

Cablegrams have been received from Prof. Tanner ordering the erection of two houses and five miles of fencing. Mr. Wm. Clouston has the contract for one of the houses and Messrs. Thompson & Nelson the other, and Mr. H. A. Asford the fencing. The houses are to be built after the style of Mr. Asford's residence on Walsh street.

Mr. Henry Bate, government immigrant agent, of London, England, was in town this week. He makes a trip across the Atlantic to Canada every summer to visit the emigrants he has sent out the previous year, and was here spying out the land. He states that the emigration to Canada from the old country that has started this year is greater than ever before in one year.

Mr. A. J. Baker, our esteemed immigrant agent, expects the arrival of 35 immigrants during the past week, and to include those arriving some days previously, 43 in all up to the present time who have stayed at this point. This is a good showing so early in the season. A number of the new arrivals had considerable means. Newly all have located in this vicinity. It is thought that the immigrant boom has just begun at this point and that many more will arrive during the summer.

At the Leland: W. A. Scott, Bedford, England; J. E. McPhail, Doug Peterson, Prince Albert; G. Keown, Regina; H. B. Halpin, Muscovy; G. B. Ruttschomb, Saskatoon; A. E. Fredele, W. R. Passes, W. Sutherland, Fort Qu'Appelle; L. Labonde, Geo. Hamblin, Saskatoon; Robert Crawford, Indian Head; L. C. McIntyre, J. E. Rogers, Winnipeg; J. E. McPherson, Moose Jaw; S. T. Greenhouse, Thos. Foster, Montreal; J. Gillispie, Toronto; Walter Oliver, England; Capt. Dunbar, Buffalo; J. B. Woodworth, Ohio.

The proprietor of THE PROGRESS has purchased two lots on the corner of Qu'Appelle street and Ninth Avenue where preparations are being made for the erection of a commodious printing office and store.

At the Queen's: W. B. Campbell, Geo. Stott, J. E. Wilson, J. K. Whinery, R. Taylor, R. J. Stevart, H. W. Brown, H. Langehiser, F. Cockburn, J. H. Holman, Winnipeg; Mrs. C. Toms and family, Hamilton; J. Starken, C. P. R.; W. J. Scott, Dr. Dodd, Miss Dodd, Regina; V. Dodd, Miss Fleetam, Touchwood; Geo. Benoit, Missont, Mu.; Margaret Burns, Ottawa; J. J. Lewis, W. W. Williams, J. H. Major, W. S. Heffernan, Montreal; Henry Bate, Rev. W. W. Bolton, England; E. C. Acheson, Toronto; E. O. Taylor, Burks Falls, Ont.; Wm. Fletcher and wife, G. Reid, wife and family, Benfield, Berkshire, England; L. Labonde, San Francisco; Miss E. Wilcox, Miss Sarah McIlroy, Moosemin; Jas. Knox, Galt; Jas. Gillespie, Mr. Snow, J. P. Dill, Walsley; Major Phipps, Summerbury; R. Wright, Solkirk, Scotland; Miss S. Putman, Fergus, Ont.; Capt. Lay, Fort Qu'Appelle; John Sample, Pleasant Plains.

WE WONDER

- Who took the cake?
- Who will grumble now?
- Who supports the nigger?
- Who owns the hen-killing dog?
- Why the General went away?
- Who hit the door with a cane?
- Why would he not play whist?
- What they will do on the 24th May?
- If St. George's Society is still living?
- When the Hospital will be started?
- Where the bashful young man went to?
- Why pigs are allowed to run at large?
- Why those pigs should not be impounded?
- Why Qu'Appelle cannot get up a gopher hunt?
- Who lost their way walking home from the dance?
- How many farmers wish now they had put in more crop?
- Why preparations are not being made for a Jubilee celebration?
- What was the matter with the singing at St. Peter's on Sunday?
- How many farmers have hustled since the rain to get in more seed?
- What are the thoughts of those farmers who did not exert themselves to put in much seed?
- Whether the farmers will let the gophers eat up their crop even if they do not get three cents a tail for them?
- If business houses would suffer any loss by closing at Nineteen o'clock, thus giving employees time for recreation?
- Why any miserable nincompoop, worse confounded candidate should go outside of his district to advertise his address?
- Why some people say that Qu'Appelle is building sidewalks and making other improvements at the expense of the farmers, when they know (or can find out) that the town ward pays more statute labor money than the improvements amount to?

STILL AWAITING

"Hasband in?" asked Assessor Woodward on his round through this municipality. "No," answered the woman, "he isn't home." "Expecting him soon?" asked the Assessor. "Well," the woman replied, thoughtfully, "I don't know exactly; I've been looking for him seventeen years, and he isn't showed up yet. You travel round a good deal, and if you see a man who looks as though he'd make me a pretty good husband, tell him I'm still waiting" and sent him about. How's your wife? But the Assessor wrote something in his book, and without stopping, he'd softly away with the cautious haste of a man walking over a thin place in the ice.

SUPPOSED MURDER.

As the Prince Albert mail was coming south last week they were met by some freighters beyond Touchwood who told the driver that they found the body of one Peter Smith dead near his house. The old man lived on the Prince Albert trail twenty miles north of Touchwood, where he kept a stopping place. It was his frequent boast of having lots of money, and only just lately reported having received a thousand dollars. As he lived alone it is thought the supposed fact of his having considerable money about him has tempted the cupidity of some person or persons unknown as yet. When Mr. Jas. Scott, of Qu'Appelle, one of the proprietors of the stage route, saw the body of the deceased he was lying on his back with his right hand over his eyes and his left arm by his side. A rifle was lying near him cocked with a string tied to the trigger, but not attached to any part of his body. An empty shell was lying on the ground near the rifle. The body appeared to have been dead several days, but the indications were that it had been placed there after death as there were no distinct signs of a struggle. The Mounted Police were notified and the case reported to Regina. Dr. Dods was sent up to investigate the affair. He took with him Dr. Seymour, of Fort Qu'Appelle. An inquest was held on the 10th on the body of Peter Smith, adjourned until the 31st as an important witness is to come from Prince Albert. Dr. Dods's statement is that Smith was murdered. The rifle that was lying beside the body was not the weapon which killed him, but a short gun, as the whole charge of shot was found in his head. No valuables were found on the body or on the premises.

Ottawa Journal: Mr. Perley made a very creditable speech in the House of Commons last night in support of the proposition that the lands sold by the Canadian Pacific Railway company in Manitoba and the Northwest should be subject to municipal taxation. It was not Mr. Perley of Ottawa, but Mr. Perley of East Assiniboia. The senior member for Ottawa continues to keep his wisdom bottled up, much to the disadvantage of his fellow legislators. The gentleman from Assiniboia pointed out that the "exemption of lands sold by the Canadian Pacific company was no part of the agreement with that company, which was a serious drawback to settlement."

MOFFAT.

Mr. A. Sutherland, photo-artist, of Qu'Appelle, visited this section of the country, professionally, a few days ago.

The Greenville schoolhouse is nearing completion. It is a substantial stone building, 20x28 feet. The trustees deserve great praise for the energetic manner in which they have pushed forward the work.

Friday and Saturday of last week, although very dull, were bright days indeed for the country. The rain which fell revived the crops, which were beginning to look parched, it also revived the drooping spirits of the farmers.

Mr. Jas. Smith, of sec. 6, 16, 10, met with a serious loss on Sunday, 8th inst., by having his house and outbuildings destroyed by fire. A team of horses were also burnt. In trying to save the horses, Mr. Smith got his hands and face severely burned.

An unprecedented event occurred at Moffat last week: an entertainment had to be postponed on account of wet weather, which, however, took place on Monday, the 16th inst. After partaking of lunch, the Rev. Mr. Ogilvie took the chair, and a service of song, entitled "A man's Prayer," was rendered in a most creditable manner. A novel feature was the illustrations by the Stenographer, which added greatly to the interest of the story. The second part of the program consisted of songs, readings, etc., by Mrs. Kindred, Mr. A. Sutherland, of Qu'Appelle, Messrs. A. Duncan, Findlay and Campbell. Mr. Sutherland's singing greatly enhanced the

evening's enjoyment. After singing the national anthem, the people dispersed well pleased with the entertainment.

Dr. Clark's Sarsaparilla cures all kind of blood diseases from a common impure to the worst case of Scrofula. Clinax Kidney Cure is a positive Cure for all kidney complaints.

Election Expenses.

ABSTRACT OF STATEMENT OF Election expenses incurred by and on behalf of
JAMES HAY DICKIE.
A Candidate at the late election of a Member to represent Assiniboia East in the House of Commons.
Traveling expenses, \$72 00
Printing, 52 75
Rent, Hotel, Conveyances, Telegram, Postage, etc., 75 15
Total, \$199 75
Certified to by
LESLIE GORDON.
J. HEWILL, Returning Officer, Assiniboia East.

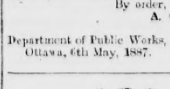
Election Expenses.

ABSTRACT OF STATEMENT OF Election expenses incurred by and on behalf of
WM. D. PERLEY.
Elected Member at the late election in Assiniboia East.
Horse hire, travelling and Hotel expenses, \$228 25
Personal expenses W. D. Perley, 100 00
Telegraph account, 79 38
Printers, 99 00
Baudette, 57 38
Total, \$594 98
Signed, WM. WHITE, Agent.
J. HEWILL, Returning Officer, Assiniboia East.



Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for distribution of Telegraph poles, &c.," will be received at this office until Wednesday, the 25th day of May, 1887, for the distribution of about two thousand poles, one pole to be left at the foot of each alternate pole upon the present line of telegraph between Qu'Appelle and Humboldt, N. W. T., a distance of about one hundred and forty-three miles. Also about four thousand lbs. weight of insulators, &c., in 100 lb. lots, along said line. The poles are marked cedar, twenty feet in length, averaging five inches in diameter at top, and nine inches at butt. Delivery to commence 1st June and to be completed by 31st July, 1887. Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque, made payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, and to be for the full amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the party decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned. The Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.
By order,
A. GORELL, Secretary.
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, 6th May, 1887.



Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tenders for Hospital and Laundry buildings at Manitoba Penitentiary," will be received at this office until WEDNESDAY, 25 May, for the several works required in the erection and completion of
Hospital and Laundry Buildings
AT
Manitoba Penitentiary.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, and at the Public Works Office at Winnipeg, on and after Monday, the 9th May. Tenders must be made personally and accompanied by an accepted bank cheque, made payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, and to be for the full amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the party decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned. The Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.
By order,
A. GORELL, Secretary.
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, 25th April, 1887.

To the Electors of the Qu'Appelle District.

At the request of a large number of the Electors from different parts of the District, and having received the unanimous vote of a public meeting held at Fort Qu'Appelle, for the purpose of selecting a Candidate to fill the vacancy in the Northwest Council, caused by the resignation of Mr. Perley, I have consented to offer myself for your support to fill that important position.

If you do me the honor to elect me your representative, it will be a pleasure on my part, to serve you to the best of my ability, and I shall endeavor always to promote the best interests of the whole District, without prejudice to any particular locality.

Having been a resident of the Qu'Appelle Valley since 1881, and always actively engaged in business since that time, my experience will, I trust, recommend itself to your favorable consideration.

The re-division of the District is, I believe, one of the most important matters that will be brought forward at the next session of the Council. I deem it of vital importance that the re-division should be conducted in the earliest possible manner in order to secure more complete representation to the various parts of whom are at present unjustly deprived of their franchise. Gentlemen, in order to obtain this end, in the event of my being elected, I pledge myself to resign my seat (which otherwise holds good for two years) as soon as proper legislation in the matter is effected.

As it will be impossible for me to seek the Electors individually before the day of election, I take this opportunity of soliciting your votes and influence at the polls.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen, Your obedient servant,
W. SUTHERLAND.
Fort Qu'Appelle, May 5, 1887.

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Builder & Contractor

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Public Notice.

PUBLIC Notice is hereby given that the first annual meeting of the Shareholders of the

South Qu'Appelle Building Co.

will be held at the office of the undersigned on the

20th day of May next, at 2 p.m.

for the purpose of receiving the report of the directors and of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year and the business of the Society's business generally.

By order of the Board,
L. C. MCINTYRE, Secy.

Qu'Appelle, April 28, 1887.

Court of Revision

NOTICE.

THE Court of Revision for the District of South Qu'Appelle will be held on

Thursday, 2nd day of June, 1887

at 10 o'clock, a.m., at

McLane's Hall, Qu'Appelle

Parties interested will please be present accordingly.

By order,
A. M. L. L.

May, 19th, 1887.